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A G E N D A A N N O U N C E M E N T

REGIONAL BOARD MEETING

Friday, March 15, 2002

9:00 A.M.

City Council Chambers
25541 Barton Road
Loma Linda

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1. **Introductions**
2. **Public Forum** - (Any person may address the Board at the commencement of the meeting on any matter within the Regional Board's jurisdiction and not related to an item which is to be considered separately. The Regional Board Chair requests that each person addressing the Regional Board observe a five-minute time limit.)
3. [Approval of minutes of the Special Meeting of January 18, 2002 and the Regular Meeting of January 23, 2002.](#)
{Barbara J. Laffoon 909/782-3285}
4. **Consideration of Consent Calendar Items.** (Items marked with an asterisk are expected to be routine and noncontroversial. The Regional Board will be asked to approve these items at one time without discussion. If any interested party, Board Member or staff requests that an item be removed from the calendar, it will be taken up in the order shown.)
- *5. [New Waste Discharge Requirements, Orange County Water District, Groundwater Cleanup, Forebay Volatile Organics Compound Project, Orange County](#) – waste discharge requirements for the discharge into injection wells of treated groundwater from pump-and-treat systems associated with the Forebay Volatile Organics Compound Project.
{Jun Martinez 909/782-3258} Order No. R8-2002-0003

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- *6. [New Waste Discharge Requirements, Big Bear Municipal Water District, San Bernardino County, \(NPDES No. CA8000396\)](#) - requirements for the application of an aquatic herbicide (SONAR) in portions of Big Bear Lake.
{Jun Martinez 909/782-3258} Order No. R8-2002-0028
- *7. [Amendment of Waste Discharge Requirements, Yucaipa Valley Water District, Henry N. Wochholz Wastewater Treatment Facility, San Bernardino County \(NPDES No. CA0105619\)](#) – Amending Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. 01-9 to modify the effluent limitations for copper considering the results of the water effect ratio study conducted by Yucaipa Valley Water District.
{Jun Martinez 909/782-3258} Order No. R8-2002-0017-A01
- *8. [Renewal of Waste Discharge Requirements for Nuevo Energy Company, Platform "Eva", Orange County \(NPDES No. CA 0106828\)](#) - Discharge of approximately 1,000 gallons per day of treated sanitary wastewater to the Pacific Ocean.
{Jun Martinez 909/782-3258} Order No. R8-2002-0020
- 9. [Total Maximum Daily Loads \(TMDLs\)](#) - Tom Howard, State Board Deputy Director, will provide a briefing to the Board regarding the statewide TMDL program (information item).
{Gerard J. Thibeault 909/782-3284}
- 10. [Big Bear Total Maximum Daily Loads \(TMDLs\) Update](#) – Staff will provide an update of the activities of Big Bear Lake Watershed stakeholders to assist with development of TMDLs for various pollutants (information item).
{Hope A. Smythe 909/782-4493}
- 11. [Vila Borba Update](#) – Board staff will provide an update concerning the status of this proposed project, which would be located in the City of Chino Hills (information item).
{Hope A. Smythe 909/782-4493}
- 12. [2001 Santa Ana River Sampling at Prado Dam](#) - Staff will provide a written report on the annual water quality sampling of the Santa Ana River at Prado Dam (information item).
{Hope A. Smythe 909/782-4493}
- 13. [Nitrogen/Total Dissolved Solids \(N/TDS\) Workshop](#) – Task Force members will update the Board on issues related to the review and revision of the Nitrogen and TDS Management Plan in the Basin Plan (information item).
{Hope A. Smythe 909/782-4493}
- 14. [Renewal of Waste Discharge Requirements, San Bernardino County Department of Public Works, County of San Bernardino and Incorporated Cities of San Bernardino County, Area-Wide Urban Storm Water Runoff Program \(NPDES No. CAS618036\)](#) – The Board will conduct a public hearing on the proposed permit and will consider adoption of the permit.
{Milasol C. Gaslan 909/782-4419} (Originally posted as 01-16) Order No. R8-2002-0012

15. [Mandatory Penalties Complaint, Thrifty Oil Company, Orange County](#) - The Regional Board will consider whether to affirm, reject, or modify the proposed Mandatory Penalties Complaint for violations of provisions of the General Groundwater Cleanup Permit.
{Kenneth R. Williams 909/782-4496} Mandatory Penalties Complaint No. R8-2002-0022
16. [Mandatory Penalties Complaint, Thrifty Oil Company, Orange County](#) - The Regional Board will consider whether to affirm, reject, or modify the proposed Mandatory Penalties Complaint for violations of provisions of the General Groundwater Cleanup Permit.
{Kenneth R. Williams 909/782-4496} Mandatory Penalties Complaint No. R8-2002-0023
17. [Mandatory Penalties Complaint, Haagen Company, LLC, Orange County](#) - The Regional Board will consider whether to affirm, reject, or modify the proposed Mandatory Penalties Complaint for violations of provisions of the General Groundwater Cleanup Permit.
{Kenneth R. Williams 909/782-4496} Mandatory Penalties Complaint No. R8-2002-0021
18. [Administrative Civil Liability Complaint, Golden Cheese Company of California, Corona, Riverside County](#) - The Regional Board will consider whether to affirm, reject, or modify the proposed Administrative Civil Liability Complaint for violations of provisions of the General Industrial Activity Storm Water Permit.
{Ann D. Iaali 909/320-2182} Administrative Civil Liability No. R8-2002-0025
19. [Sewage Spill Incident Report](#) - Lists of such incidents will be provided as an information item to the Regional Board (information item).
{Kurt V. Berchtold 909/782-3286}
20. [General Permits](#) - Staff will provide a list of all new permittees recently enrolled under the Region's general permits (information item).
{Jun Martirez 909/782-3258}
21. [Executive Officer's Report](#) - (information item).
{Gerard J. Thibeault 909/782-3284}
22. **Regional Board Member Communications** - Board Members may discuss meetings, communications, correspondence, or other items of general interest relating to matters within the Regional Board's jurisdiction. There will be no voting or formal action taken.
23. **Closed Session:** At any time during the regular session, the Regional Board may adjourn to a closed session to consider litigation, personnel matters, or to deliberate on a decision to be reached based upon evidence introduced during a hearing. Discussion of litigation is within the attorney/client privilege and may be held in closed session.

Authority: Government Code Section 11126 (a), (c)(3), and (e). Items which may be discussed in closed session by the Board include litigation related to:
 1. Stringfellow Hazardous Waste Site, and
 2. Potential Litigation: Discussion of Executive Officer's referral to the District Attorney of Clean Water Act violations for criminal prosecution.
24. **Adjournment** to the regular meeting of April 26, 2002, at 9:00 a.m., at the City Council Chambers of Corona.

NOTICES

Any person who is disabled and requires special accommodation to participate in this Regional Board Meeting should contact Barbara Laffoon at 909/782-3285 no later than ten (10) days prior to meeting.

Any person interested in obtaining information and/or providing input regarding pending applications for Water Quality Standards Certification under Section 401 of the Federal Clean Water Act may do so by contacting Mark G. Adelson at (909) 782-3234.

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GENERAL STATEMENT

The primary duty of the Regional Board is to protect the quality of the waters within the Region for all beneficial uses. This duty is implemented by formulating and adopting water quality control plans for all ground and surface water bodies in the region and by prescribing and enforcing requirements on waste discharges. The specific responsibilities and procedures of the Regional Water Quality Boards and the State Water Resources Control Board are outlined in the Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act (Division 7, California Water Code).

The purpose of this meeting is for the Board to obtain testimony and information from concerned and affected parties and make decisions after considering the recommendations made by the Executive Officer. The Board and the staff welcome information on pertinent problems but comments at the meeting should be brief and directed to specifics of the case to enable the Board to take the appropriate action. Whenever possible, lengthy testimony should be presented to the Board in writing one week before the scheduled meeting and only a summary of pertinent issues to be presented verbally. For each matter considered, relevant Regional Board files are incorporated into the record.

A copy of the procedures governing Regional Water Board meetings may be found at Title 23, California Code of Regulations, Section 647 et seq., and is available upon request. Hearings before the Regional Water Board are not conducted pursuant to Government Code Section 11500 et seq.

DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

All persons who actively support or oppose the adoption of waste discharge requirements or NPDES permits pending before the Regional Board, must submit a statement to the board disclosing any contribution of \$250.00 or more to be used in a federal, state, or local election, made by the action supporter or opponent, or his/her agent, within the last twelve months to any Regional Board Member.

Also, all permit applications and all persons who actively support or oppose adoption of a set of waste discharge requirements and/or NPDES permits pending before the Regional Board are prohibited from making contributions of \$250.00 or more to any Board member for three months following a Regional Board decision on the permit application.

RIGHT TO PETITION

Any person affected adversely by a decision of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region (Regional Board), may petition the State Water Resources Control Board (State Board) to review the decision. The petition must be received by the State Board within thirty days of the Regional Board's meeting at which the adverse action was taken. Copies of the law and regulations applicable to filing petitions will be provided upon request to the Regional Board.

NOTE: The agenda items are numbered for identification purposes only and will not necessarily be considered in the order listed. The Public Forum item will be limited to one hour.
